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Rocky Flats Field Office

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SUBJECT:

Categorical Exclusion (CX15-99) for Tents 7,8 and 9 Demolition and Removal

TO:

Stephen M. Nesta

Environmental Systems & Stewardship

Kaiser-Hill Corporation, L.L.C.

I am attaching the approved Categorical Exclusion (CX) for the Tents 7, 8 and 9

Demolition and Removal, CX15-99.

Should you have any questions, please call me at extension 7198.

John C. Morris

NEPA Compliance Officer

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Attachment

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Proposed Action:

Tents 7, 8, and 9 Demolition and Removal

Location:

Rocky Flats Environmental Technology Site, Golden, CO

Proposed by:

U.S. Department of Energy Rocky Flats Field Office (DOE, RFFO)

Description of the Proposed Action:

The Rocky Flats Field Office (RFFO) proposes to demolish and remove Tents 7, 8, and 9 at Pad 904. The tents will be cut up and recycled to the extent possible. Approximately 78,000 pounds of metal frame and 20,000 pounds of construction debris and sanitary waste will be generated. All components of the tents will be removed to ground level, and the underlying asphalt pad will be cleaned to meet RCRA closure standards as needed. Cleaning, if necessary, would likely consist of sweeping or washing the asphalt.

Categorical Exclusion to be Applied:

B1.23 Demolition and subsequent disposal of buildings, equipment, and support structures (including, but not limited to, smoke stacks and parking lot surfaces).

Justification:

The project is a small-scale action to demolish and dispose of three facilities (tents) that were used for storing wastes. The three facilities collectively encompass less than 50,000 square feet in area, and are located in a developed area that has utilities and access roads. The facilities will be cleaned to meet applicable RCRA closure standards.

In addition, in accordance with 10 CFR 1021.410(b), the project (a) fits within the class of actions listed in Appendix B of Subpart D of 10 CFR 1021, (b) exhibits no extraordinary circumstances that may affect the significance of its environmental effects, and (c) is not "connected" (per 40 CFR 1508.25[a][1]) to other actions with potentially significant impacts, is not related to other proposed actions with cumulatively significant impacts (per 40 CFR 1508.25[a][2]), and is not precluded by 40 CFR 1506.1 or 10 CFR 1021.211.

Further, in accordance with 10 CFR 1021, Subpart D, Appendix B, the project would not (1) threaten a violation of applicable statutory, regulatory, or permit requirements for environment, safety, and health, including requirements of DOE and/or Executive Orders, (2) require siting and construction or major expansion of waste storage, disposal, recovery, or treatment facilities (including incinerators), (3) disturb hazardous substances, pollutants, contaminants, or CERCLA-excluded petroleum and natural gas products that

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preexist in the environment such that there would be uncontrolled or unpermitted releases; or (4) adversely affect environmentally sensitive resources.

I have determined that the proposed action meets the requirements for a categorical exclusion as defined in Subpart D of 10 CFR 1021. Therefore, I approve the categorical exclusion of the proposed action from further NEPA review and documentation.

Date: Jne 15, 1999 Signature:

John C. Morris RFFO NEPA Compliance Officer